FORM PTO-1472 (Rev. 4-2002)

U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

EXAMINER'S CASE ACTION WORKSHEET

| Application No. 09/965,967 | | Legal Instrument Examiner | | strument Examiner | |
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| CHECK TYPE OF ACTION DATE OF COUNT | | | | | |
| | Non-Final Rejection | | Restriction/Election Only | | Final Rejection |
| | Ex Parte Quayle | | Allowance | | Advisory Action |
| | Examiner's Answer | | Reply Brief Noted | | Non-Entry of Reply Brief |
| | Defective Notice of Appeal | | Interference Disposal SPE_ (Approval for Disposal) | | Suspension (Examiner-Initiated) SPE (initial) |
| | Defective Appeal Brief | | SIR Disposal (use only after FAOM) | | Supplemental Examiner's Amendment |
| | Miscellaneous Office Letter (With Shortened Statutory Period Set) | | Notice of Non-Responsive Amendment (With One Month Time Period set) | | Miscellaneous Office Letter (No Response Period Set) |
| | Abandonment after BPAI Decision | | Supplemental Action (excluding Examiner's Answer) | | Response to Rule 312 Amendment |
| | Letter Restarting Period for Response (e.g., Missing References) | | Interview Summary | | Authorization to Change Previous Office Action SPE: (Initial) |
| | Abandonment | | Express Abandonment Date: | | Other Specify: |

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